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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Walker  
Application No.: ~~10/833,372~~ 10/803,372  
Examiner: Allana Lewin  
Art Unit: 3764  
Title: Collarless Barbell Sleeve  
Filing Date: 03/19/2004  
Confirmation No.: 5510

**RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

**Introductory Comments**

The following amendments, replacement drawings, and remarks are submitted in response to the office action of January 24, 2006. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the specification begin on the attached page having the heading "Amendments to the Specification."

Amendments to the claims begin on the attached page having the heading "Amendments to the Claims."

Replacement drawings begin on the attached sheet with the heading "Replacement Sheets."

Remarks begin on the attached page having the heading "Remarks."